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## **FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION**

Information Collection Being Reviewed by the Federal Communications Commission for Extension Under Delegated Authority

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice and Request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** As part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork burdens and as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13, the Federal Communications Commission invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on the following information collection(s). Comments are requested concerning: (a) whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Commission, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the Commission's burden estimate; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on the respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and (e) ways to further reduce the information burden for small business concerns with fewer than 25 employees.

The FCC may not conduct or sponsor a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid control number. No person shall be subject to any penalty for failing to comply with a collection of information subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA)

that does not display a valid control number.

**DATES:** Persons wishing to comment on this information collection should submit comments **[INSERT DATE 60 DAYS FROM PUBLICATION IN FEDERAL REGISTER]**. If you anticipate that you will be submitting comments, but find it difficult to do so within the period of time allowed by this notice, you should advise the contact listed below as soon as possible.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit your PRA comments to Nicolas A. Fraser, Office of Management and Budget (OMB), via fax at 202-395-5167, or via the Internet at [Nicholas\\_A.Fraser@omb.eop.gov](mailto:Nicholas_A.Fraser@omb.eop.gov), and to [Judith-B.Herman@fcc.gov](mailto:Judith-B.Herman@fcc.gov) <<mailto:Judith-B.Herman@fcc.gov>>, Federal Communications Commission (FCC). To submit your comments by email send them to: [PRA@fcc.gov](mailto:PRA@fcc.gov) <<mailto:PRA@fcc.gov>>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For additional information about the information collection(s), contact Judith B. Herman at 202-418-0214.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**OMB Control No.:** 3060-0783.

**Title:** Section 90.176, Coordinator Notification Requirements on Frequencies Below 512 MHz or at 764 - 776/794 - 806 MHz.

**Form No.:** N/A.

**Type of Review:** Extension of a currently approved collection.

**Respondents:** Business or other for-profit.

**Number of Respondents:** 15 respondents; 3,900 responses.

**Estimated Time Per Response:** .5 hours.

**Frequency of Response:** On occasion reporting requirement and third party disclosure requirement.

**Obligation to Respond:** Required to obtain or retain benefits. Statutory authority for this collection of information is contained in 47 U.S.C. sections 154(i), 161, 303(g), 303(r) and 332(c)(7).

**Total Annual Burden:** 1,950 hours.

**Annual Cost Burden:** N/A.

**Privacy Act Impact Assessment:** N/A.

**Nature and Extent of Confidentiality:** There is no need for confidentiality.

**Needs and Uses:** The Commission is seeking Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval for an extension of this information collection (no change in the reporting requirements and/or third party disclosure requirements). The Commission will submit this information collection after this 60 day comment period. There is no change in the Commission's previous burden estimates.

Section 90.176 requires each Private Land Mobile frequency coordinator to provide, within one business day, a listing of their frequency recommendations to all other frequency coordinators in their respective pool, and if requested, an engineering analysis. Any method can be used to ensure this compliance with the "one business day

requirement” and must provide, at a minimum, the name of the applicant; frequency or frequencies recommended; antenna locations and heights; the effective radiated power; the type(s) of emissions; the description of the service area; and the date and time of the recommendation. If a conflict in recommendations arises, the affected coordinators are jointly responsible for taking action to resolve the conflict, up to and including notifying the Commission that an application may have to be returned.

This requirement seeks to avoid situations where harmful interference is created because two or more coordinators recommend the same frequency in the same area at approximately the same time to different applicants.

Federal Communications Commission.

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